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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	...	4·815	5·17	Seers per rupee.
Ragi	...	9·29	8·15	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi thrashing is going on. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations for sowing sugarcane are going on in Nelamangala Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; paddy in all the Taluks except Hoskote Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks; pulses in Kankanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk; mulberry in Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk and castor in Dodballapur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in all the Taluks, paddy in Bangalore, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks. Kulthi in Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk and pulses in Bangalore, Nelamangala and Channapatna Taluks.

Estimated yield.—Ragi 8 to 12 annas in Magadi and Channapatna Taluks and 12 annas in Devanhalli Taluk. Paddy 12 annas in Magadi Taluk and 8 annas in Channapatna Taluk and Kulthi 8 annas in Channapatna Taluk.

Damages to crops.—It is reported that avare and castor in Kankanhalli Taluk are damaged to some extent by insects.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Town. Influenza is reported from parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy except for Domine Roga at Muthkur in Bangalore Taluk. It is reported that intimation has been given to the Veterinary Inspector to do the needful.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks, jola in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk; and sugar-cane in parts of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Horse-gram in parts of the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks; yield 4 to 8 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of the Chintamani, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, and Goribidnur, taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and Relapsing fever in parts of the Kolar and Bagepalli Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Maddagiri, Gubbi Taluks, and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; yield 12 annas. Jola in parts of Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi Taluks; Haraka in parts of Maddagiri Taluk; Castor in parts of Maddagiri and Gubbi Taluks; and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; Kulthi in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Pavagada, and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; Togari in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; Paddy in parts of Sira, Gubbi, and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; yield 8 to 12 annas. Kadale in parts of Gubbi Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; Avare in parts of Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk and Ragi in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, kadale, jola, castor, cotton, ragi, togari, Huruli avare, haraka, and wheat are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good.

11. Public health is reported to be good in all parts of the district, except for relapsing fever at Mavinkere in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. The local Sub Assistant Surgeon is reported to be taking needful measures to check the disease.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Gundlupet Taluk.

Standing crops are sugar-cane, paddy, castor, chillies, kadale, horse gram, togari, green gram, avare, coriander, bengal gram, mulberry, cotton, tadagani, and ramtil, and they are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Paddy—in parts of Gundlupet (16 annas), Yedatore (12 annas) T.-Narsipur (8 annas), Nanjangood (12 annas), Malvalli, Mandya (8 to 12 annas), and Nagamangala Taluks, Sugar-cane—in parts of T.-Narsipur and Mandya (8 annas), Taluks, ragi in parts of Mysore, Seringapatam, (12 annas), Gundlupet (8 annas) Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur (8 annas), and Nagamangala Taluks. Horse gram—in parts of Mysore (12 annas), Yedatore, Chamrajnagar (12 annas), Gundlupet (8 annas), Malvalli, and Nagamangala (12 annas) Taluks, Ramtil—in parts of Mysore (12 annas), and Yedatore Taluks. Kadale—in parts of Hunsur (10 annas), Yedatore, Chamrajnagar, (12 annas) Gundlupet (8 annas) Krishnarajapet and Heggaddevankote (10 annas), Talkus. Avare—in parts of Hunsur (10 annas), Yedatore and Krishnarajapet (8 annas) Taluks. Togari—in part of Yedatore and T.-Narsipur (8 annas), Taluks. Haraka in parts of Malvalli Taluk. Coriander in parts of Gundlupet and Chamrajnagar Taluks. Black and Green grams in parts of Gundlupet Taluk, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Nanjangud T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks. Relapsing fever in parts of Mandya Taluk, and influenza in parts of Krishnarajpet Taluks. Rats are reported to be dying in parts of Seringapatam Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Heggaddevankote Taluk. Naradiroga in parts of Malvalli Taluk. Foot and mouth disease in parts of Malvalli and Mandya Taluks and Chapperoga in parts of Mandya Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Condition of the standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar-cane avare and kadale in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane and kadale in the Channarayapatna Taluk; sugar-cane in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar-cane and kadale

in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; sugar-cane and avare in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; ragi, horse gram avare togari, and kadale in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar-cane and avare in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; sugar-cane and paddy in the Arsikere Taluk; kadale in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; sugar-cane in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Hassan Taluk Alur Sub-Taluk and relapsing fever in parts of Arsikere Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, but for doddaroga in parts of Arkalgud Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is going on in the Nagar Taluk and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; Bengal gram, in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali, bile jola in the Channagiri Taluk; cotton, wheat, yannegar jola and coriandum in the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; togari in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali; paddy in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; ragi and horse gram in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab; jola in the taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur; areca in the taluks of f Sagar and Tirthahalli; navane in the Shikarpur Taluk and avare in the Honnali Taluk.

10. The prospects of the season are fair.

11. There is plague in Shimoga and Bhadravati Towns, Holehonnur, Chandanakere Dombarabhyrnahalli, Thadasa, and Antharagange, in the Shimoga Taluk, Durvigere in the Channagiri Taluk, Nyamti and Sasvehalli in the Honnali Taluk, Shikarpur Town and certain other places, Anavatti and Sakunavalli in the Sorab Taluk and Hubbanahalli in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Relapsing fever is still prevalent in Kerebilchi in the Channagiri Taluk and malaria in the Sagar Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available all over the district, except in a few villages of the Honnali Kasba magani, where they are reported to be available in limited quantities.

KADUR.

8. The markets were well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane, Bengal gram, menthya, garlic and kode-paddy. Kadur—sugar-cane, Bengal gram, cholum and wheat. Tarikere—sugar-cane, besige, cholum and castor. Koppa—sugar-cane, coffee and pepper. Mudgere—coffee and cardamom. Narasimharajapura—sugar-cane. The standing crops are in good condition.

Crops harvested—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane, coffee and avare yield 8 annas. Kadur—sugar-cane, Bengal gram and wheat. Koppa—sugar-cane and coffee. Mudgere—coffee.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available, but their prices remain steady in most parts.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, wheat, cotton, kadle, togari, avare, castor, sugar-cane, jola, chillies and horse gram are reported to be fairly in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in Molakalmuru Taluk. Transplantation of paddy in Hiriyur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug Taluk—togari, avare, horse gram, kadle and wheat (0-8-0). Hosdurga Taluk—navane, horse gram, sajje, togari and avare (0-8-0). Holalkere Taluk—sugar-cane, horse gram, avare, togari, ragi and navane (8 to 12 annas). Molakalmuru—sugar-cane (0-8-0). Jagalur Taluk—horse gram (0-8-0). Challakere Taluk—cotton and castor. Hiriyur Taluk—doddaragi, navane, sajje, togari, avare and harka (0-8-0). Davangere Taluk—ragi, jola, togari, avare and horse gram, (0-8-0).

10. Fair. Foodstuffs available. Cooly classes are finding labour. Prices stationary.

11. Public health is generally good but for plague in Challakere Taluk, relapsing fever in Hosdurga Taluk and small-pox in Jagalur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy but for some disease from sheep are reported to be dying in Halamadenahalli village of Hiriyur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is asked to do the needful.

Water and fodder available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.
Dated Bangalore, 13th February 1923.

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